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## COMMENT OF THE DAY

### THE GOVERNOR

THERE will be widespread regret at the announcement that Hongkong is to lose its popular and much loved Governor who has given 10 years devoted service to the welfare of this territory and its inhabitants. Never has a Governor of this Colony earned such affection that the populace should demand his retention for such a long period. Three times his term has been extended and a fourth, backed by the signatures of half the population in a petition to the Queen, was demanded.

Yesterday's announcement has indeed come as something of a shock. Not only was it widely hoped but it was quite widely expected that he would come back at least for a short term. It is unreasonable perhaps to expect an indefinite extension of his term of office as some had sought. The Governor and Lady Grantham are entitled to a well-earned retirement. Indeed, if the Governor has no retirement plans yet Hongkong cannot grudge his appointment to some leading administrative post in the Commonwealth. Such a posting would be a fitting reward for the great service he has performed here.

### THE 'FEEL'

HOW, it may be wondered, have Sir Alexander and Lady Grantham earned the tremendous affection and respect accorded them during their stay here? Initially his outstanding capabilities undoubtedly impressed upon the population the need to retain such a brilliant administrator and one who, it seemed, was so remarkably sensitive not only to the requirements but the potentialities of the Colony. Sir Alexander, after all, had helped put Hongkong firmly back on its feet after the Japanese occupation.

With changed conditions in China, war in Korea and the sudden crush in the entrepot trade, the Colony's future depended on having the right man at the helm. No one doubted that Sir Alexander was the right man. And as the crisis eventually eased, new conditions again demanded the services of this remarkable man. But it would be wrong to suggest that the Governor's popularity rests solely in his ability and his deep insight into the Colony's problems.

### WELCOME

ALL sections of the population have reason to remember him with kindness. Sir Alexander and Lady Grantham have made it their business to meet as many people as possible. Refugees and resettle squatters have mingled with the Governor as freely as Garden Party guests and the Granthams have shown a friendly and indeed keen interest in the multifarious activities of Hongkong. This is a widely acknowledged fact. The Indian Premier, Mr Nehru ranks among one of Sir Alexander's many admirers overseas.

The news of his departure next year is, however, tempered to a great extent by the most welcome appointment of Sir Robert Black as his successor, a man who has known the Colony during three years when the foundations of much existing policy were being laid. Resettlement, development, industrial expansion are among the problems with which Sir Robert was closely associated during his term of office as Colonial Secretary. He and Lady Black also enjoyed wide popularity with Chinese and Europeans here and his return will be widely welcomed.

# BIG HK RUBBER DEAL EXPECTED

## Industrialists To Meet S'pore Dealers

Singapore, Aug. 2. A RUBBER deal worth hundreds of thousands of Malayan dollars was expected to be made between Singapore rubber merchants and some Hongkong industrialists, the Straits Times reported today.

### Marilyn Fights Miscarriage Threat

New York, Aug. 1. Actress Marilyn Monroe, America's No. 1 glamour girl, was taken to a hospital today and placed under observation for a threatened miscarriage.

The 31-year-old blonde actress, wife of playwright Arthur Miller, was admitted to Doctor's Hospital shortly before noon today.

Her press agent, Warren Fisher, said she would remain in the hospital for several days.

Mrs Monroe and Miller were married on June 29, 1956, in White Plains, New York. She had steadily declined comment on recurring reports that she was pregnant. — United Press.

### EDITOR BANISHED

## Commonwealth Press Union Protests

London, Aug. 1. The announcement from Accra, Ghana, yesterday that Mr Bankole Timothy, deputy editor of the Ghana Daily Graphic, had been ordered to leave the country immediately tonight provoked an official statement of protest from the Commonwealth Press Union, an organisation to further the interests of Commonwealth newspapers and preserve press freedom.

The Ghana Daily Graphic is within the London Daily Mirror group.

Mr Timothy will fly to Freetown, Sierra Leone, tomorrow to comply with the deportation order.

In its statement, the Commonwealth Press Union said that the press and public opinion in all Commonwealth countries and indeed in the world, would be deeply disturbed by the thought that the Government of Ghana had ordered the deportation within 48 hours of Mr Bankole Timothy, the deputy editor of the Daily Graphic in Accra and correspondent in Ghana of the Observer (of London). — Reuter.

### In Your Saturday's Mail

What is the magical quality that takes a woman from the gutter and sets her at the peak of Society... the quality that captivates men and roases women's envy? This is the quality you will read about in a new series starting this week in tomorrow's China Mail.

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## THE END OF A PERFECT DINNER



"Rex" the African Lion at the London Zoo has little thought for anything, other than the job in front of him — finishing off a very tasty joint... Plenty of the right food makes me a contented lion — says Rex! — Keystone Photo.

## BESSIE BRADDOCK HAILS VENUS-LIKE REVELATIONS

London, Aug. 1. MRS Bessie Braddock, British member of Parliament whose 210 pounds are encased in a 50-40-50 figure, hailed government disclosures today that the average British woman is a slightly plumper version of the Venus de Milo.

## FORMOSA BUILDING TANKERS

New York, Aug. 1. Westinghouse Electric Corporation today announced receipt of a \$6 million contract to supply marine turbines for Formosa's first major shipbuilding venture — the construction of six 36,000-ton supertankers at the Keelung Shipyards in Taiwan.

Under an agreement with Ingalls-Taiwan Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company, Westinghouse Electric International Company will ship six 18,000 shaft horsepower marine turbines, plus condensers and air extractors to Formosa.

The first portion of a \$4,500,000 steel order for the supertankers is expected to arrive at Keelung from Japan in the next few days, Westinghouse reported.

Delivery of the first propulsion units is scheduled for December 1958. Two supertankers chartered by Gulf Oil Corporation should side off the ways six months later, spokesman said.

Keelung is Formosa's largest port. Expansion of its shipyards will allow construction of 65,000-ton vessels by 1958.

"Competitive in cost with the lowest in the world and equal in quality to US standards," according to Mr Magnus I. Gregerson, chairman of Ingalls-Taiwan. — United Press.

## Premature Birth For Singer

Hollywood, Aug. 1.

A four-pound boy was born prematurely today to singing star Rosemary Clooney in St John's Hospital at nearby Santa Monica.

The child, third for Miss Clooney and actor-director Jose Ferrer, was due in October. Attendants said both the baby, Gabriel Vincente, and mother were in good condition, although the infant had to be placed in an incubator.

The Ferrers have two other children, Miguel, 2, and Marie. — United Press.

Mrs Braddock, neat, solid and nearly square in a well-fitting navy blue suit, was presiding at a conference of representatives of the fashion trade which met at a dignified, plush hotel to discuss the hottest news in the "rag" business since the start of ready-to-wear clothing in the 1920's.



MRS BRADDOCK, MP  
Some Emotion

The report, published by the Board of Trade and soberly entitled "Women's measurements and sizes", was the result of a six-year scientific investigation to find out whether, honestly, British women looked like the willowy wraiths in the fashion magazines or not.

Mrs Braddock herself is an "outsize", said with genuine emotion: "I believe that if we can obtain the whole-hearted support, assistance and co-operation of the whole of the clothing trade in this country we can establish a form of export trade which can outdo any other form of industry in any other country." — China Mail Special.

### Now Official

Now the Board of Trade says officially what British women—and their menfolk—have known for years—that Mrs Average Briton is sickle-shaped, 37-27-44-38½, or, as the Daily Mirror front-page headline put it today, "Goddam, curvy andumpy."

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## US TROOPS

Washington, Aug. 1. Mr Charles Wilson, the US Secretary of Defence, said today the United States planned to withdraw 25,000 ground combat troops from Japan by the end of this year and the rest—some 15,000—by August next year. — Reuter.

## TWA Want Bristol Britannias

Washington, Aug. 1. The US publication, Aviation Daily, said today that multi-millionaire Howard Hughes, who owns 85 per cent of the Trans World Airlines shares, has offered to buy 30 turbo-prop Bristol Britannia planes for TWA if he can get early delivery.

The four-engined British-made plane is claimed to be the largest and fastest plane in passenger service at present.

The cost of the 30 Britannias plus spares is estimated at 150 million dollars.

The journal said that to get early delivery for Mr Hughes, the makers had reached an agreement with British Overseas Airways Corporation for the release of 10 Britannias they had on order.

### DOUGLAS INQUIRY

In order to make up the equipment deficiency by release of the 10 Britannias, the magazine said that BOAC had asked the Douglas Aircraft Company of San's Monica, California, for prices and delivery dates of 15 DC-7C aircraft.

The cost of the 15 DC-7C's to BOAC would be about 50 million dollars—thus "saving" Britain about 100 million dollars. — Reuter.

## West Indies Federation Approved

London, Aug. 1. The Queen today gave her final approval to creation of a West Indies Federation.

Simultaneously, Governor-General designate Lord Hailes announced he would leave for Trinidad, capital of the Federation, early next January. He said he hoped to hold general elections in the Federation on March 25, 1958.

The Queen's approval came in the form of signing the West Indies Federation Order in Council of 1957.

The Federation formally comes into existence upon arrival of the Governor-General. — United Press.

## OPEN SKIES PLAN RUSSIAN PLANES WOULD FLY OVER BRITAIN

By DEREK MARKS

London, Aug. 2. SOVIET inspection planes will fly right across Britain if a new "open skies" plan proposed by the West is accepted by Russia.

## JAPANESE WANT A-MISSILES

New York, Aug. 1.

The United States is giving favourable consideration to Japanese request for guided missiles capable of carrying atomic warheads, the Columbia Broadcasting System said today.

CBS news correspondent in Japan, Peter Kalischer, reported details of the proposed plan.

He said the request was made by the Japanese Defense Agency several months ago and that detailed negotiations between the American and Japanese governments are expected to begin soon.

### SIX TYPES

Kalischer reported that a Defense Agency official said six missile types were requested, including the Mike, Falcon, Sparrow, Bomarc, Talos and Terrier. The Terrier can be fired from a rocket ship. All are capable of carrying atomic warheads.

The missiles, according to Kalischer, would form the basis of a proposed Japanese guided missiles corps which would become part of Japan's defense force after American troops leave the country. The defense force would place emphasis on air power. — United Press.

## Churchmen Arrested

Paris, Aug. 1.

The Hungarian Ministry of the Interior announced today that a number of Roman Catholic church officials, including the secretary of Cardinal Mindszenty, have been arrested on charges of plotting against the regime of the People's Democracy, the Hungarian MTI news agency said.

The group of church officials would shortly come up for trial in Budapest, the agency said.

## Los Angeles Brush Fire

Los Angeles, Aug. 1. SEVERAL homes were destroyed today in a grass and brush fire which swept out of control in a hilly area of Highland Park within the Los Angeles city limits.

The blaze was one of several which sprang up in the third day of a Southern California heat wave and some 125 Los

Angeles city fires were hampered by either dry water, or low water pressure.

"We have lost some homes, but don't know yet just how many," fire chief Whipple said. "We are trying to augment the water supply with five street fire tanks from the Board of Public Works." — United Press.



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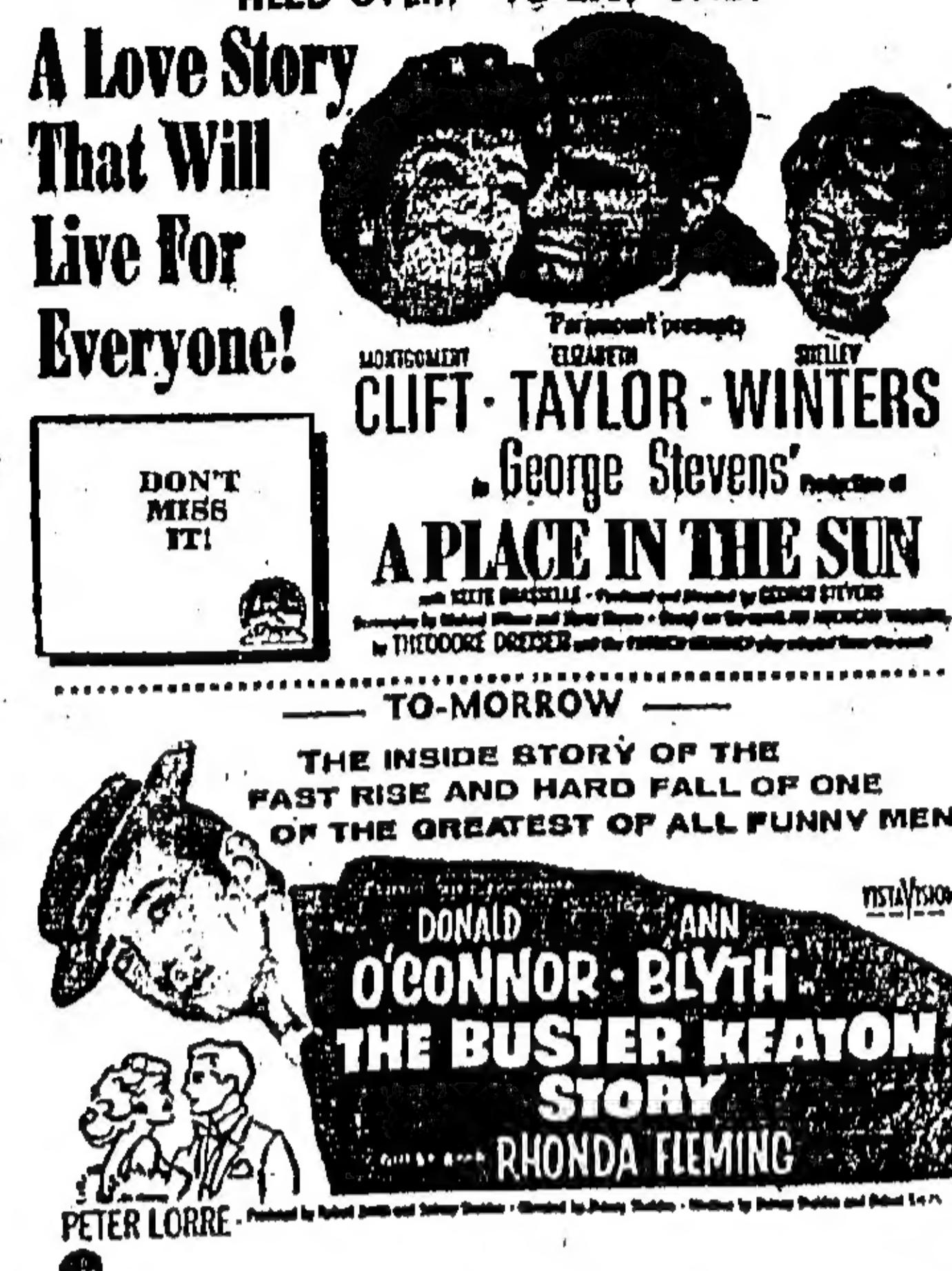


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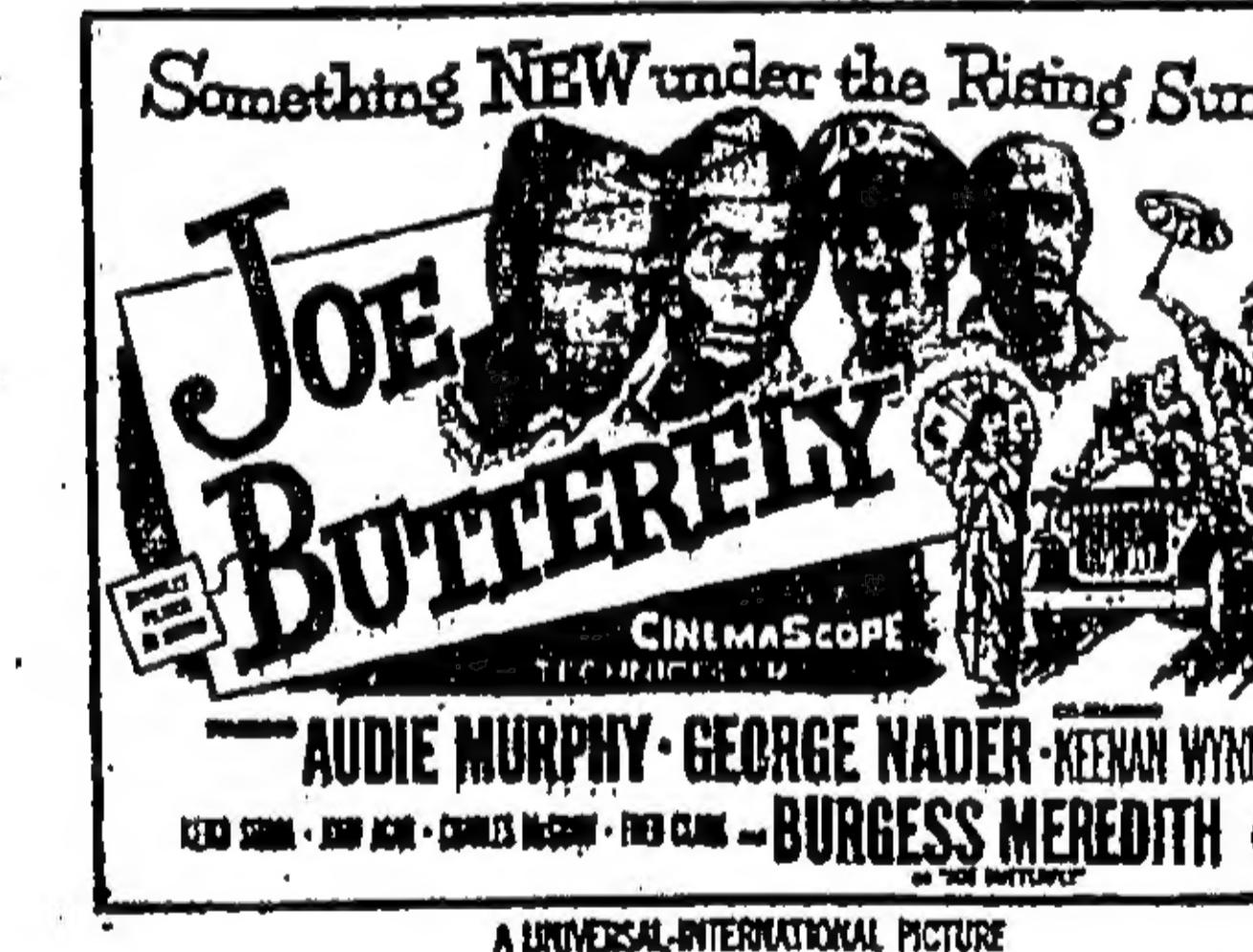
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## UNDERSTANDING NEEDED

## WHAT'S THAT YOU SAY?



## Dior Introduces His 1957 'Spindle Line'

By PEGGY MASSIN

Paris, Aug. 1. Christian Dior drops the waist, erases the bosom, and brings in a moderately shorter hem and a straight silhouetted in the new "spindle line" presented today.

The message this season is the unified chemise for street wear and the flattened long bosom look.

Dior defines his silhouette as being "between two parentheses."

Waists rest on the hipbone through evolutions of the bloused areas in two piece dresses. Neoprene and puritanically high for day wear. The bosom first states its existence in afternoon clothes, when the 18th century look comes in.

Black is the strongest single colour theme, complemented by intense shades of bright red, trolley green and Alice blue—China Mail Special.

## MR K GETS A SLAP ON THE BACK

Moscow, Aug. 1. A group of 15 British

Youth Festival delegates touring the Kremlin today ran into party leader Nikita Khrushchev as he came out of a government building, and chatted and took snapshots for 10 minutes.

One British delegate slapped Mr Khrushchev on the back and the Soviet leader glared broadly as he shook hands with several young British men and women who crowded round him.

An eye-witness said the British delegates gave Mr Khrushchev some badges including the Scottish badge of Saint Andrews and the English Festival Badge and Mr Khrushchev is reported to have given one of his in exchange. — Reuter.

## LOIN CLOTH

First afternoon dresses launch the Gauguin sash in sheaths with skirts draped on the hips like a loin cloth. The opposing silhouette is the 18th century costume which reviews the voluminous skirt with evenly distributed in Bouffant styles over crinolines.

They are mounted by means of slinging at a line two inches below the normal waist. The long bodice corset effect is established by vertical seaming and a tight bust line.

Vertical seaming from neck to waist abolishing underrides beneath the bosom is the secret of Dior's newest look.

Eighteenth century dresses are typified by draped shawl collars, fichus, ruched trimming, ribbon bows and knots, and petticoats. The plumping decollete of Dior's romantic look is in sharp contrast to daytime austerity.

## Good Ambassador

Washington, Aug. 1. Mr Christian Herter, the acting Secretary of State, said today he was convinced that Mr Maxwell Gluck, whose nomination as Ambassador to Ceylon has aroused criticism, would "make a good ambassador." — Reuter.

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## Re-evaluation Of

## United Nations

## Taking Place

Dag Hammarskjold

New York, Aug. 1. Mr Dag Hammarskjold, United Nations Secretary-General, said today that charges of a "double standard" in UN handling of the Suez and Hungarian crises reflected the need for wider understanding of world affairs.

In his annual report to the General Assembly covering the year up to June 15, he expressed "increasing concern" at the comparative public disinterest in world affairs.

But he added that there were some signs in many countries that "some re-evaluation of the United Nations by public opinion" was taking place.

## World Opinion

He said: "Certainly, the international situation may be said to be clearer to many persons than a year ago, with a new appreciation of the power of world opinion that can be mobilised through the machinery of the United Nations, when this machinery is utilised."

Referring to the charges of a "double standard" over Suez and Hungary, he said this "most frequently expressed criticism of

the United Nations in a few areas reflected this need for wider understanding."

In his efforts to secure settlements "by peaceful means, and in conformity with the principles of justice," the Assembly called for voluntary withdrawal of forces and voluntary compliance with other terms of its resolutions on the Middle East and Hungary, Mr Hammarskjold noted.

## Major Crises

"That this reflected the essential character of the United Nations as an association of national states in which the sovereign rights of all its members were carefully safeguarded was not sufficiently clear to some critics," he added.

The two major crises "tended to awaken public opinion to some of the realities of international politics and their relationship with the United Na-

tions," he said. — Reuter.

There seemed to be a need for increased efforts to "promote knowledge about the Charter and the procedures of the United Nations among the general public," Mr Hammarskjold went on.

"Especially evident is the need for wide understanding of the constructive potentialities of the organisation, as well as its constitutional limitations; understanding, in other words, of how far it can or cannot exert an immediate influence on the course of events, and of the possibilities for making this influence steadily stronger in the future by wise policy in the present."

Mr Hammarskjold noted comments for and against the system of giving identical voting power in the Assembly to great powers and small states alike and for and against the Security Council veto, but he refrained from stating his own view.

His observations were made in a chapter titled "Development of Public Understanding" in the 139-page report. Much of the remainder of the document was given to a summary of events in which the United Nations had been concerned in the period under review.

The introduction to the report, which customarily contains the Secretary-General's principal conclusions, will not be released until some time nearer the Assembly's opening date, September 17. — Reuter.

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# US-CANADA DEFENCE MERGER

## Two Air Forces Joined To Form Adcanus

Washington, Aug. 1.

The United States and Canada announced plans today to carry out a partial merger of their air defence forces and place them under control of US Air Force Gen. Earl E. Partridge.

The agreement was a new step toward creation of a single North American Air Theatre for defence against any future Russian air invasion. Partridge now is US Continental Air Defence Commander with Army, Navy and Air Force units under his control.

### Menzies Denies Lukewarm To Diefenbaker

Ottawa, Aug. 1.

PRIME Minister R. G. Menzies of Australia came to Ottawa today to deny heatedly that he was lukewarm toward Canada's new Prime Minister, John Diefenbaker, or Mr Diefenbaker's urgings for a Commonwealth trade conference.

Mr Menzies, enroute home from London after a ten-day stay, flew to Ottawa from New York and will move on to Chicago tomorrow after a 20-hour stay.

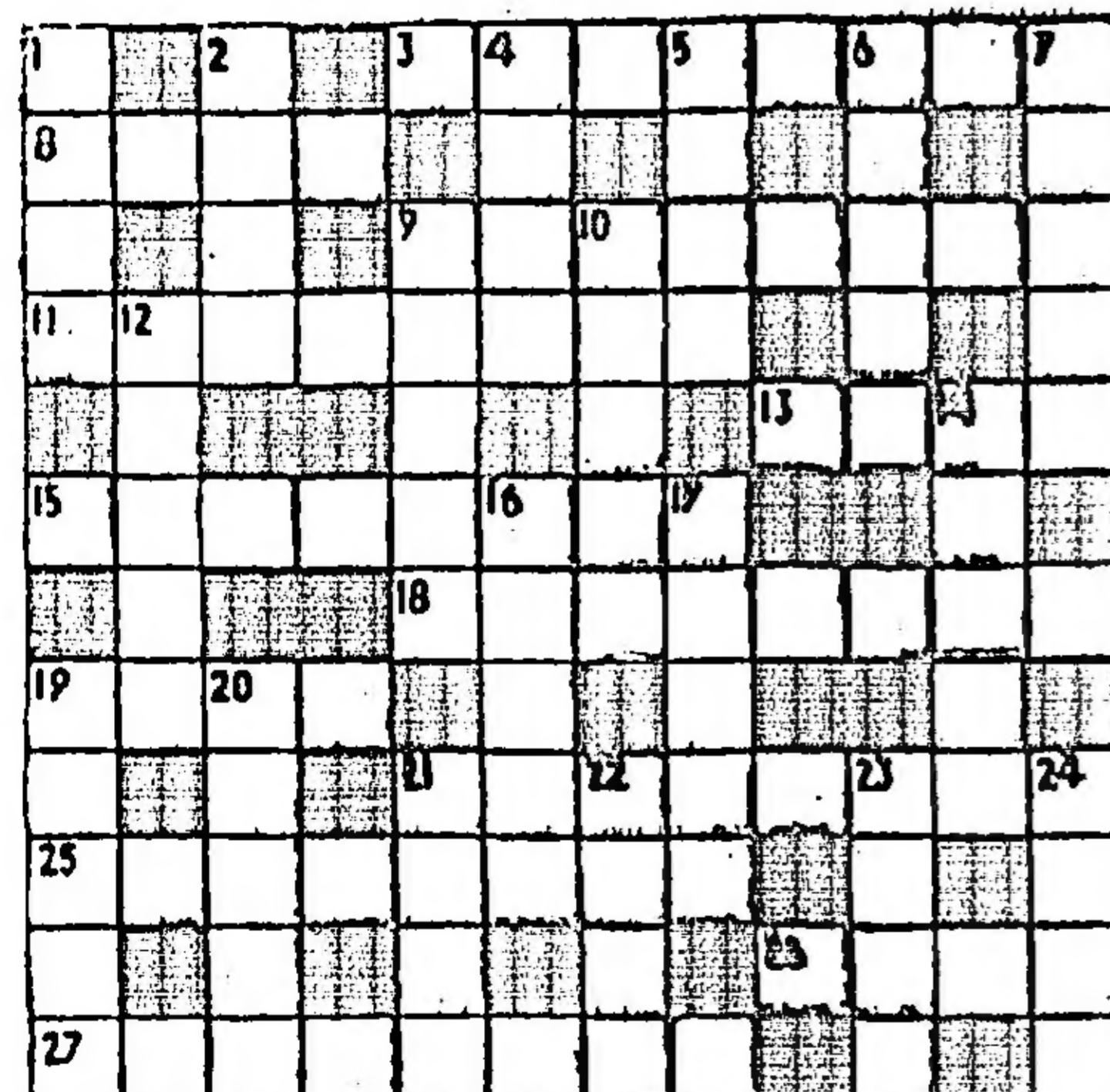
**MISINTERPRETED** He told a press conference that he was "grossly misinterpreted," "scandalously misrepresented," and "most grossly misquoted" by some members of the London press at the time of the Commonwealth Prime Ministers Conference there five weeks ago.

Mr Menzies said the Canadian Government's views and his views were "practically identical" on the value of a Common Market and industrial Free Trade Area in Europe. They agreed, he said, that the proposals "might greatly add to the economic strength" of Europe, but anything doing so would increase Europe's purchasing power.

**MUCH CONCERNED** "But we are very much concerned that we will not be put at a disadvantage in the exports of our primary products—wheat, in your case, and wheat to a smaller extent—but principally wool in our case," said Mr Menzies.

The Australian Prime Minister said My Diefenbaker's proposals for a meeting of the two countries are jointly controlled. The chain runs along the US-Canadian border. —United Press.

### A British Crossword Puzzle



#### ACROSS

- 3 But there's only one in a week (8).
- 4 Half applaud (4).
- 5 Something to drink (8).
- 11 Furnished on condition (8).
- 13 Uninteresting accommodation? (4).
- 15 It keeps things simmering (8).
- 18 Don, perhaps (8).
- 19 Clever fish (4).
- 20 Not respectable (8).
- 25 Comparatively odd newcomer (8).
- 26 The West Indians? (4).
- 27 Completely fed up (8).
- 28 Criminale do it (4).

#### DOWN

- 1 Cal some fiscal (4).
- 2 Overhead light (4).
- 3 Abstained otherwise to be (4).
- 4 Taken to court (4).
- 5 He of service (5).
- 6 Wifice, for example (6).
- 7 Match for a goddess (5).
- 8 Christian name (5).
- 9 Playful holiday tricks? (8).
- 10 Come in pieces? (8).
- 11 Long players' pastime (8).
- 12 Go off bang? (5).
- 13 Old Peruvians (4).
- 14 Geographical feature (8).
- 15 Well-known garden (8).
- 16 Criminale do it (4).
- 17 Thursday's crossword (8).
- 18 Director, 20 No. yes (11).
- 19 Neston, Down 1 Costa Rica (8).
- 20 Steve, 3 Steamer, 4 Mastus, 5 Campbell, 6 Peters, 10 Thursday, 12 Andiron, 13 Warren, 14 Endres, 15 Lacey, 17 Starry (8).

**THURSDAY'S CROSSWORD** Across: 1 Causes, 4 Recaps, 5 Strength, 11 Endless, 13 Western, 15 Duller, 18 Romeo, 19 Director, 20 No. yes, 21 Neston, Down 1 Costa Rica, 2 Steve, 3 Steamer, 4 Mastus, 5 Campbell, 6 Peters, 10 Thursday, 12 Andiron, 13 Warren, 14 Endres, 15 Lacey, 17 Starry.

### MARKET MEN CLASH WITH POLICE



Extra police were drafted in to Spitalfields Market last week—following reports that drivers arriving to pick up produce were threatened by strike pickets. Photo shows crowd around vehicles during the incident at Spitalfields Market. —Keystone Photo.

### Jamboree SCOUTS FAINT IN HEAT

Sutton Park, Aug. 1.  
DOZENS of boy scouts fainted from the unexpected English heat today at the opening ceremony here of their Jubilee Jamboree.

About 35,000 boys from 82 countries lined up in the camp arena to greet the Duke of Gloucester, uncle of the Queen and President of the Boy Scouts Association, who arrived at this three-acre tent city by helicopter to open the 12-day Jamboree.

But the surprise heatwave caught many of the boys unprepared. Dressed in their warm scout uniforms and packed closely together, dozens of them crumpled during the Duke's speech and were carried away by stretcher bearers.

#### THE LARGEST

The giant gathering, probably the largest youth group Britain has ever seen, has come from all over the world to pay tribute to Robert Baden-Powell, the founder of the scout movement, who was born 100 years ago, and to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the first scout camp.

The Duke of Gloucester was one of the greatest men of our time," said Lord Baden-Powell.

The Jamboree will continue until August 12.

The scouts expect to receive about 100,000 visitors a day in that time and will give them demonstrations of rope spinning, whip-cracking, oriental music and Scottish reels and many other accomplishments.—Reuters.

### Communist Ideology Through The Post

Bangkok, Aug. 1. The pro-government newspaper, Bangkok Tribune, said today China was making use of a free postal tuition service to draw the attention of Thai Chinese to their Communist ideology.

The newspaper said the correspondents' leaflets included a number of subjects such as general knowledge, geography and sociology "all carefully aligned to the Communist creed." The leaflets were in Chinese and were operated from Peking. The newspaper said Thailand believed the new tactics were being used by Peking to draw the local Chinese closer to Red China and get stronger support from Chinese youth here.

Police were watching this and all other attempts at subversion very closely, the newspaper said.—Reuters.

### NEAR RIOT AT MOSCOW FESTIVAL

Moscow, Aug. 1. A wide-open multi-national argument on the Hungarian Revolution during an American television interview almost brought a small riot to the Moscow Youth Festival tonight.

Columbia Broadcasting System spokesman, Dan Schorr, was interviewing anti-communist American youth delegate, Walter Hadding Coppedge, when the firework started.

#### OPPOSED

In answer to a question from Schorr, Oxford student Coppedge said, "All students and nearly everybody" he talked to opposed the official Soviet line on Hungary.

A Moscow radio correspondent standing nearby expressed surprise and asked Schorr whether he could not reward his recorded answer for American TV.

After reflection, he once more made a statement for Schorr, who was accused by Moscow Radio of "coaching" interviewees.

"Some Moscow University students told me they disapproved of the official Soviet line on Hungary but that the men on the street approve of it," Coppedge said.

#### 'LIAR!'

At this point American delegate Morris Block shouted, "Harr, Harr," Schorr wanted to start a counter revolution."

Other members in the crowd of youths watching the interview at so-called Festival Village here joined in.

Several denigrated Schorr in right-wing interviews with anti-communists; other voices proclaimed that the delegates "deserve free speech."—United Press.

### AMERICANS VOICE CONCERN

Washington, Aug. 1. AMERICAN officials are beginning to show concern over the length of time it is taking the British and their friend, the Sultan of Brunei and Oman, to put down the revolt in that sunbaked corner of the Arabian Peninsula.

The conclusion being drawn by qualified authorities here is that British plans of sending the rebels into quick submission by an air strike of two have not entirely worked out.

US officials noted that a recent announcement by the British military command at nearby Bahrain spoke of "interdiction raids." To come here this suggested that the followers of the rebel Imam Ghalebi are receiving reinforcements.

It would be correct to say that our concern over the situation in Oman has not lessened since the Revolt began in mid-July.

The idea that the United States is not taking sides between the Sultan and the rebels, the US position, did not seem to help a quick solution.

The main concern of US officials at the moment is that Imam Ghalebi may be driven into the struggle openly for prestige reasons. If the fighting spreads, this would put the United States in a difficult position between Britain and the King, an important supporter of the Eisenhower Doctrine against Communism in the Middle East.—United Press.

Yesterday the Sultan's Foreign Minister told reporters the question was悬而未决. A reported note of resignation in 1953 got lost somehow before it reached official hands.

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The British Foreign Office recently declared, "There is no Imam."

And the Sultan is still Ghalebi.

But with power in Ghalebi's hands, he has no right to speak, nor does he have the right to keep the Imam playing the role of the little Indian who wants to be the big Indian.

—Reuters.

### TIME OFF TO PRAY

Washington, Aug. 1. Americans spent a few minutes off work today to pray for divine aid in obtaining a wage increase they have sought for a long time.

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### CONFIDENTIAL AND WHISPER

## 100 Top Stars Subpoenaed For Libel Trial

By VERNON SCOTT

Hollywood, Aug. 1. Defence attorneys for Confidential Magazine disclosed today they have subpoenaed more than 100 top movie stars and filmland personalities and have warned them they will be asked under oath if spicy scandal stories about them are true.

The growing number of celebrities called indicated the type of battle that Confidential and its sister publication, Whisper, planned to wage tomorrow against charges of conspiracy to publish libelous and obscene matter about the movie celebrities.

#### FIGHT FOR LIFE

Confidential's fight for its life is to be spearheaded by Attorney Arthur J. Crowley, who will defend Fred and Marjorie Meades, operators of Hollywood Research Inc., identified as the gossip gathering news organization that spied on the private lives of stars.

The Meades go on trial in Los Angeles Superior Court with Hollywood prepared to witness—possibly one of the most lurid chapters in its history—unless the defense's legal team can prove it is defamed.

Among those reportedly subpoenaed by Crowley are Gary Cooper, Walter Pidgeon, Corinne Calvet, Betty Grable, Scott Brady, Sonny Tufts, Buddy Ebsen, Lana Turner and Tab Hunter.

#### MEADES TRIAL

The prosecution, headed by California Assistant Attorney-General Clarence A. Linn, has indicated it considers the Meades trial as its main case because agents have been unable to extradite Confidential publisher Robert Harrison and others from New York.

Linn said the libel case will be based on articles in Confidential and Whisper about Maureen O'Hara, Dorothy Lamour, Dick Powell, Robert Mitchum, Miss Calvet, Mac West, John Carroll and Mark Stevens.

The list of articles charged as libelous contains such titles as "What Dorothy Lamour Did In The Woods"; "How Long Can Dick Powell

and "CAN CAN" Dances by MARGARET & MAURICE

from London Commencing To-morrow NIGHT

High style Low cost

ASPIRE TILE-TEX

economy floor that wears and wears!

Malaya Floor Tiles

## Report From Washington

### By ALEXANDER BROAD

A KINDLY Senate, baffled a little by President Eisenhower's apparent inability to make up his mind about the budget, gave some thought last week to the problem of helping him out.

Senator Robert S. Kerr of Oklahoma decided, however, that there was no future in this proposal. "No man can help Eisenhower study the fiscal problems of this government," he said, "because one cannot do that without brains and he does not have them."

### Priest Of The Plague

by KENNETH YOUNG.  
HENRY MORSE, Priest of the  
Plague.

Philip Caramon (Longman,  
18s.)

**H**ENRY MORSE was a Suffolk man, born in 1696, who became a Roman Catholic priest and later a Jesuit at a time when to be either in England was to risk imprisonment and death. In fact Morse was constantly in and out of prison—except when he was abroad at Douai or in Flanders—and in 1645 was hanged at Tyburn as a traitor.

Afterwards an eye-witness recorded: "His bosom was laid open, his heart torn out, his entrails burnt, and his body quartered." The quarters were set on the city gates, the head on London Bridge.

To us the penalty is barbarous, the treason not obvious. Morse had lived a good, even an heroic life. He had ministered both physically and spiritually to thousands of plague victims in the smitten London of 1635-6, and in consequence had himself twice suffered the ignominy of public flogging. Morally his life was spotless, and he had followed the maxims of his religion most faithfully.

For himself he had sought nothing, seeking only to bring the consolations of his church to those of his fellow countrymen who were of the same persuasion, and—but here is the clue—striving also to convert others to Roman Catholicism which, he believed, could alone ensure the salvation of the individual soul.

#### The Roman Way

By the beginning of the 17th century most Englishmen had different beliefs equally strongly held. Not only that; in Morse's lifetime politics was religion. To a rising mercantile England an intricate foreign policy such as Rome sought to impose was not to be tolerated since it could, and sometimes had, put her at a disadvantage with her greatest mercantile rival, Spain.

Moreover, as the great economic changes got under way, political power in England was changing hands; class structures were fluid; a free, proud nation was coming into being, and any hint of foreign interference, under no matter what guise, was resented and rejected.

That is why such men as Morse, however sincere and full of good works, were hunted down. The ordinary Englishman regarded them as part-spawn propagandists for foreign powers. Some of them moved in secret, sometimes disguised and evaded detection by dissimulation and half-truths. The knowledge of such secret men alarmed and maddened the public.

Today these are mere historical facts, and no unbiased historian feels called upon to pass ethical judgment upon them. Philip Caramon, however, is himself a member of the Society of Jesus; he sees Morse's career as a heroic struggle for the faith and his death as encompassed by heretics.

Apart from this, however, his book is a well-informed picture of certain aspects of religious life in the north as well as in London. The plague of 1635 comes alive as nothing in no other modern work; and Morse himself, though his "vocation to martyrdom" may stink us, emerges as a real person.

#### LAMMERGEGERS

*Adventures begin in Kenya* by John Pollard (Hale, 16s.) deals mainly with reptilian birds known as Lammergegers, strange huge carrion-eaters which can measure ten feet from tip to tip. The author, with companions who include a likeable, tough character called Hook who keeps a crazy private zoo and catches cheetahs for his hunting pack, go mountain-trekking, dodge rhinos and buffalo, and eventually not only see these rare birds but prove them to be Lammergegers by the very bird to exist in Africa and had a reputation for baby-stealing. A.O.

## "We still (SOMETIMES) like Ike"

tries are shaky and graft-ridden dictatorships, the fourth is a near-dictatorship and only the fifth—Pakistan—can be considered as a "bulwark of the free world."

No doubt there are reasons for making peace, but even in the last belt there are limits, and Senator Kerr knows it. So he endeavoured to have the word "fiscal" inserted before "brains" in the record, explaining: "I do not say that the President has no brains at all. I reserve that broad red sweeping accusation for some of my cherished colleagues in this Senate."

Considering that his Administration drafted it, this is a little surprising.

No one, however, should jump to the conclusion that lack of brain was responsible for the confusion. The President was on a spot. Some people wondered whether he would act upon a provision in the bill which would allow him to send troops into the South to enforce court decisions.

Shortly thereafter, the Administration announced that it wouldn't, anyhow, act on these provisions, and the President, we hope, now understands the same.

#### To economise with

In any case, having heard from the Administration the Senate set about repealing some legislation which would have let the President send in the troops whether the civil rights bill was passed or not.

That should make everything clear to everybody.

In the Senate it was regarded as a compromise, though what was compromised nobody quite knows, and it now seems that the South may even let the bill go through...

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The unhappy truth of the matter is that it does not appear that Dwight David Eisenhower—or, for that matter, anyone else—was equipped quite enough brains to deal with some of the muddling problems which face a modern U.S. president.

#### A big budget

President Eisenhower started out with a \$2 billion dollar budget, for which, he implied, he was ready to fight to the death. Later he said he thought Congress might be able to effect some economies. Now that the President has done just that, the Congress has screamed the roof down.

These were his words when the House of Representatives voted to cut in half the money provided under the Mutual Security Bill: "The cut can be considered as no less than a threat to our nation's security and that of the free world."

Unfortunately, the same speech said that "75 per cent of Defense Support monies" would go to five countries: Korea, Vietnam, Formosa, Turkey and Pakistan.

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#### SHAW'S FIRST LOVE

#### SELLS FOR £780

#### By GRAHAM DARK

**M**RS ALICE BUXTON took an hour off from her office the other day to watch an album of love letters, written to her mother by George Bernard Shaw, sold in London for £780.

The love affair was ended by Shaw 72 years ago and Mrs Buxton's mother, then Miss Alice Lockett, returned the letters to Shaw before she married a doctor.

It was Shaw's first and most romantic love. Copper-haired Miss Lockett was nurse and lived at Walthamstow. Red-haired Shaw, then little known, lived at Osnaburgh Street, St. Pancras.

#### The end

Night after night he escorted her to the unromantic platforms of Liverpool Street Station, dallying over goodbyes, and then going home to sit late into the night writing to her.

Beware. When all the love has gone out of me I am re-

"I don't think she would have minded," said Mrs. Buxton. "She was extremely practical. She had a strong temperament. I don't think she regarded Shaw as a good conquest."

Miss Buxton had not known of the letters' existence. They were sold "anonymously" and the money they fetched—from a modest bid by an American dealer John Fleming—does not go to any of the family.

For the truth is that, when all the love has gone out of me I am re-

mon. In these cases it just isn't true that mankind loves a lover. Mankind laughs at lovers—

#### "It makes me Shudder"

#### says Anne Edwards

EITHER everyone ought to stop writing love letters. Or the legal chaps should stop reading them out in public.

I'm for the second course myself.

Every week yields fresh proof of the foolishness of love letters. Take the report from Swansea divorce court, for example. The judge quoted it is no wonder they sound from a letter written by a wife so silly when read again in the legal shadow to her husband in 1953, which grey, old voices of the legal

mon. In these cases it just isn't true that mankind loves a lover. Mankind laughs at lovers—

"My own darling Tootles," reads the barrister in court. His lordship leans forward in astonishment. "WHAT?" he says dryly. "He called her what?" "Tootles, my lord."

I RECALL with pity (and a touch of apprehension), the blushing of those unlucky lovers whose letters have been captured and used in evidence.

I REMEMBER the well-to-do, well-covered business men who had to hear it explained in court how his wife used to write to him as "Darling Sweetie-pie" and "Gentle-

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"I REMEMBER the young woman petitioning for divorce about whom all were informed that her husband called her "Stinkle" but his Assistant Scoutmaster called her "Poppet."

I REMEMBER the young man who had to listen to love letters written three years before: "Once again, darling, let me tell you how much I love you, darling. All my love, darling."

Or course there are ways of saving your face. You could just the phone. Or you could take the advice of the American Senator Boies Penrose, who said that he never wrote a letter to a woman "that you could not chill the beer on."

But it wouldn't be my choice. I'm for writing love letters—



Commemoration of the Tolpuddle Martyrs has been postponed this year because of the bus strike.  
NEWS ITEM.

#### London Letter

## COMMONWEALTH AT HOME

A BOUT 40 British M.P.s of all parties gave a friendly round of applause as A Pandit Nehru, attended by his sister, recently came to a committee room in the Houses of Parliament to address us. This was the man who, in conjunction with Gandhi, challenged and broke the long rule of the British Raj. He had served prison sentences of varying degrees. He had seen Gandhi die after repeated periods of detention. He had seen the Indian Princes deprived of their principalities and he had watched the last Viceroy depart.

Yet in this year of grace 1957 Mr Nehru had come to the Commonwealth conference, in London, to discuss with the Prime Ministers of Britain and the self-governing Dominions the mutual problems that have arisen. By a strange quirk of destiny he had gone as boy to school at Harrow, and then chosen alternative to Elton, and had sat in the same study rooms as the youthful Winston Churchill had done.

After a pleasant introduction by the Chairman we were addressed by Mr Nehru but his voice was so weak that even in that small space we had to strain our ears to catch his words. Standing by him was his sister, arrayed in the brightness of an Eastern sari, seeming as if she wanted to give some of her own strength. But the impression I gained was that Nehru had passed the borders of fatigue and reached the point of no return.

What is happening to this strange, illogical thing called the British Commonwealth and Empire? A few days ago some of us Tories were formed into a committee to receive a delegation of a hundred or more representatives of Nigeria. The women, like the men, were ebony black. But their shaved faces and vivacity to the scene. Ladies came only to them and they gave a sense of unexpected vitality that was truly irresistible. That night a dozen British M.P.s were drafted to Mr Speaker's House overlooking the Terrace to dine with some 30 Burmese politicians. Again humour played its part as the after dinner speeches mingled with the muffled sound of Big Ben reminding us that time stops for no man.

Such was the background as the Prime Ministers of the Dominions began to arrive. Here in London was the huge-framed Sir Roy Welensky, the political head of the new Rhodesian Federation. His father kept a pub and was his own best customer. With no money in his pockets Roy became a professional prize fighter and won one contest after another until the inevitable happened and he was hammered into insensibility. So he became an engine

driver—and now is a man of

St Laurent Administration went down before the onslaught of the Conservatives.

At Lord's Cricket Grounds near my house there was, during this period J.G. Menzies, the Prime Minister of Australia, almost as big muscled as Welensky. To some people this would be a mystery but to the Prime Minister Menzies' Lord's is more sacred than Lounges. I first met him in 1940 when he was Dr Diefenbaker's iron. We dined together on that occasion at the Commando and to show a proper interest I asked him what majority he had. "You are dining with my majority," he said. It was perfectly true—he had a majority of one.

But inevitably the limelight has been on the man from Canada. Not even Sir Laurence Olivier could have arranged anything more dramatic for the entrance of the star on the imperial stage. A few months ago hardly one Englishman in ten thousand could have named the Leader of the Opposition in Canada, and if that seems a slight to Canadians, ask them to tell you who leads the Opposition in Australia and New Zealand.

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And John Diefenbaker is not

the least of them.

## Immune!



## TAIKOO ICING SUGAR

### NO MORE DAMP ICING...

... A new waterproof plastic bag INSIDE the carton prevents this. After use, reseal the inner bag with the clip-wire provided.

## YOUR BIRTHDAY ... BY STELLA

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2

BORN today, you will find that your native wit, imagination, observation and facility with the written word are qualities which a career in writing. Your tastes are intellectual and you are happiest when you are creating something.

You have the gift of presenting a new idea so attractively that others will be keenly interested. You have many of the qualities of a born teacher. Science, philosophy and religion are also fields in which you show a keen interest. You are a natural leader and anyone I can bring exceptional happiness to the one you wed.

Among those born on this date were: Harry Bernstein, architect; F. G. Crawford and Eliza Orme White, authors; John Sloan, artist; Caleb Henry, educator; Thomas Armitage, churchman; Henry Loo, author; Bob Burns, actor.

To find what the stars have in store for you tomorrow, select your birthday star and read the column "Spouting Parrot." Let your birthday star be your daily guide.

YESTERDAY, AUGUST 1

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—Take time out now for some well-earned rest. Take care of necessary routine only. You can afford to go into low gear.

VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Emphasize, today, is upon shopping for necessities. You should find bargains and have fun hunting them.

LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—Follow your intuitions in handling personal and confidential matters to your best advantage. Get what you want.

## • JACOBY ON BRIDGE

Part Score Lures South

By OSWALD JACOBY

SOUTH liked his hundred comfortable hand. He had 30 on score and was going to score game, rubber and the honours.

The opening lead of the ten of hearts and his first eight of diamonds did not disturb him. He could stand some bad breaks.

He won the opening lead and led a second high trump. East showed out and South realised that he was down. In an effort to save something from the wreckage he tried the club finesse. That lost and a diamond came back. Eventually, South lost three trump tricks, one spade, two diamonds and a club and was down three for a loss of 300 points less a hundred-point credit for his honours.

South certainly was unlucky, but as is frequently the case,

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
♦ Q J 10 3			♦ 8 4
♦ None			♦ 10 8 7 5 4
♦ J 9 8 5			♦ A Q 2
♦ A Q J 10 8			♦ K 10 9 7
			♦ A K Q J 3
			♦ K 8
			♦ 8 7
North and South vulnerable and 30 on score			
South	West	North	East
1 ♦	Pass	2 ♦	Pass
2 ♦	Pass	2 ♦	Pass
3 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening lead—♦ 10			

poor South had succeeded in manufacturing his own bad luck:

South did hold the four top hearts. He bid the suit twice and his partner bid two other suits. South had four good spades and when North bid spades South should have raised him to three spades and given up his hundred honours.

North would have played the hand at three spades. A diamond opening and a club return would have given him a little trouble but he should make the hand.

He would have to win the club lead with the ace and start right after trumps. That way he would lose one club, two diamonds and a spade only.

If he tried the club finesse or started after the hearts early he would wind up in the soup, but not as deep in the soup as South did.

## • CARD STUFF

Q—The bidding has been:

South West North East

1 ♦ Pass 2 N.T. Pass

You, South, hold:

♦ A Q J 8 7 ♦ K 2 ♠ K J 5 4 ♣ 8 2

What do you do?

A—Bid three spades. You want to let your partner choose between four spades and three no-spades. You don't show your diamond suit because you have no interest in playing the hand as five diamonds.

TODAY'S QUESTION

The bidding is the same as in the question just answered. You, South, hold:

♦ A J 8 6 ♦ K 8 ♠ Q 5 4 ♣ A K

What do you do?

Andrew Tuckrow

## TARGET

T R F

P O N

O I T

How many words of four letters or more can you make from the letters in the square on the left? In making words, use all the letters in each row.

small squares may be used only. Each word must contain the large letter in the centre position, and must be at least one nine-letter word in the list. No plurals, no foreign words, no words of one letter only.

TODAY'S TARGET: 22 words.

good: 15 words, very good: 22 words, excellent: 26 words.

SOLUTION: 1. A man with a long face, 2. A man with a long face, 3. A man with a long face, 4. A man with a long face, 5. A man with a long face, 6. A man with a long face, 7. A man with a long face, 8. A man with a long face, 9. A man with a long face, 10. A man with a long face, 11. A man with a long face, 12. A man with a long face, 13. A man with a long face, 14. A man with a long face, 15. A man with a long face, 16. A man with a long face, 17. A man with a long face, 18. A man with a long face, 19. A man with a long face, 20. A man with a long face, 21. A man with a long face, 22. A man with a long face, 23. A man with a long face, 24. A man with a long face, 25. A man with a long face, 26. A man with a long face.

VICTORIAN SONGS

LAST DAY

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## This Funny World



"It's all right, Dad. I was talking to Bruno when I yelled, 'Take your clumsy paws off me!'"

## • BY • THE • WAY •

by Beachcomber

IF ever anything fulfilled a long-left desire it is the new "rocking-chair sleeve attached to a wheelchair."

The earth is thrown at it, and stones falling to negotiate the tall-tale hills. The next thing is to fit a polygonal sleeve with no holes so that the earth will fall outside the sleeve, while the stones, denuded of sleeves, do the same. Then earth and stones will roll down the sleeve to the last job of the day. Both earth and stones will roll through a sleeve which has been cut out of the ground, and then be fought off.

No room inside

Both husband and wife complained that the stranger sat down at their table and ate from their plates. (Morning paper.)

TWO'S company, three is none, as the ingredients of the pantomime horse said when they threw out the horse who wanted to make a third.

Consolation

IN a town under the Pyrenees I saw a plotter on the wall of a butcher's shop. It showed a cow in a stall, and a little girl offering it a bouquet of wild flowers. Underneath the plotter was the inscription: "Don't weep, my dear child, for if you are not going to the shop of Garcia Jose?"

Kashish.

Ashura and

Rizamughan.

## Sausages on the port beam

A STATISTICIAN has computed that a Boy Scout jamboree in Kaszish will eat 31 tons of sausages and 100,000 sausages show between the wars. (9)

Fabulous person: (8) Inert but otherwise: (8) Good one makes a modern commendation: (4) We draw its own salary: (6)

21. The moon that grows: (8) 22. Sun starts the week: (8) 23. And it's the day of this: (8) 24. Gear for motorizing: (8) 25. Dots: (8)

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1. John Knox, for instance: (8) 2. It's multiplied power: (8) 3. One of the instruments that suddenly leaves a winner: (3-8) 4. Where the gentlemen came

10. Lists from the sorters: (7) 11. Northumbrian leader: (8) 12. Northern: (8) 13. Warm: (8)

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16. Northern: (8) 17. Northumbrian leader: (8) 18. Northern: (8) 19. Warm: (8)

20. Three of a kind: (11) 21. More little drinks: (8) 22. If it's necessary to be backward: (8) Across: (13)







# TRADE and COMMERCE SECTION

## HONGKONG MARKET QUIET

**Turnover Drops By \$2 Million**

### BANKS STRONG

By A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Generally quiet conditions on the Hongkong Stock Exchange during the past week resulted in a drop of nearly \$2 million in the turnover.

The market has done just the opposite to what was expected at this time of the year when dividends are coming out.

The turnover for the week was \$3.88 million compared with the previous week's take of \$5.09 million. Tally for the week was eight higher, four unchanged, and 12 lower compared with 17 higher, three unchanged and four lower last week.

#### Brightest

Hongkong Banks were the brightest issue of the week gaining another \$50—more than recovering their interim dividend—closing at their highest point of the year, \$1.820.

Wharves continued to rise and reached their 1932 high of \$112, which they maintained through the week. Docks gained another \$1.50 on the week to close at \$48.00.

In the utilities section, both Lights and Electric tacked on gains, the former 20 cents and the latter 40 cents.

Watsons closed at \$12.70, rise of 20 cents on the week.

#### Prevailed

Here is an Ice House Street observer's account of the market:

Generally quiet conditions have prevailed during the past week with the result that the overall turnover dropped from \$5.09 million to \$3.88 million.

Hongkong Banks were firm throughout and more than recovered the amount of the interim dividend to close

### WORLD RUBBER MARKETS

New York, Aug. 1. Rex rubber futures today closed 10 to 25 points higher with sales of 45 contracts.

September ..... 32.50  
October ..... 32.40  
January ..... 32.32  
March ..... 32.30  
May ..... 32.30  
July ..... 31.90  
September ..... 31.70

Standard contract closed 10 to 25 points higher with no sales reported.

September ..... 32.60  
October ..... 32.50  
January ..... 32.32  
March ..... 32.30  
May ..... 32.30  
July ..... 31.90  
September ..... 31.70

Steadiness of cables and a scarcity of shipment offering from the Far East to steady an otherwise quiet market. Intraderal switching of Nov./Sept. contracts accounted for part of the small trade.

In the shipment market, dealers reported a fair-sized interest in two, three and four sheets with the one and five neglected. Reported sales out of Thailand included three ribs at 30 1/2 cents and four ribs at 30 1/2 cents a pound, both cost and freight, August shipment.

From Indonesia three browns were reported worked at 27 1/2 cents for Aug. 1. Half Sept. shipment and some flat bark at 21 cents, Aug./Sept. cost and freight. Locally, No. 1 RSS was quoted at 35 cents.

#### LONDON

The rubber market was steady with spot quoted at 27 1/2 cents per lb. Prices for Nov./Sept. were 27 1/2 cents. Settlement house terms 27 1/2 cents.

General markets, cif basis, 27 1/2 cents.

August ..... 27 1/2 cents

September ..... 27 1/2 cents

October ..... 27 1/2 cents

November ..... 27 1/2 cents

December ..... 27 1/2 cents

#### AMSTERDAM

The rubber market was quiet today. Prices closed in guilders per kilogram, cif August as follows:

No. 1 rubber ..... 2.03 num.  
No. 2 rubber ..... 2.03 num.  
No. 3 rubber ..... 2.03 num.  
No. 1 crepe ..... 2.03 num.

United Press

### HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE

#### Our Own Correspondent

Business done on the Hongkong Stock Exchange this morning amounted to approximately \$220,000. Noon quotations and the morning's transactions:

Utilities dipped .10 to 69.78. Of a total 1,112 issues traded, 553 were lower, 324 higher, 235 unchanged with 32 new lows 24, nine new highs.

N.Y. Stock Exchange bond volume was \$3,000,000.

American Stock Exchange volume was 780,000 shares.

### The Share Market At A Glance

	July 4	July 11	July 18	July 25	Aug 1	Up or Down
HK Bank Lombard Union	1640 37n	1785 37	1750 37 1/2	1770 37	1820 35b	+\$50
Wheelock	7.85	7.80	8	7.95	8	+\$1
HK Wharf	108	108b	100	111	112	+\$1
HK Docks Provident	451 13.10	451 12.30	453b 12	47 12.30	48 12.30	+81.50
HK Hotels	15.55n	15.40	15.30	15.90	16.00b	+\$10
HK Lands	353	353	353	36	36	+\$1
HK Realty	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.475	1.475b	steady
HK Trams	23.20n	23.10	24.10	24.70	24.80	-\$10
Star Ferry	130s	135n	138s	134s	135	+\$1
Yamatum	103 1/4	103	104	105	106	steady
China Lights	18.00	18.60	18.60	18.70	18.90	+20c
Electrics	20.00	20.80	20.60	20.90	20	+40c
HK Telephone	27.00	27.00	27.80	28.30	28.10	-20c
C. G. Cement	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	+\$1c
Dairy Farm	14.70	14.65m	14.75m	15.80	15.60m	-\$20c
A.S. Watson	11.70	11.60m	11.65m	12.50	12.70	+\$10c
Yangtze	6.30n	6.30n	6.35b	6.45b	6.45b	steady
Allied	4.60b	4.35	4.55	4.90xdm	4.25	-\$5c
HK & FE Inv.	10.30b	10.50b	10.70b	11.30s	11	-\$20c
Textile Corp	4.80	4.85mxd	4.35	4.35	4.325	-\$20c
Nanyang	8.30b	8.70	9.40	9.30	9.25b	-\$5c

### STOCKS LOSE GROUND ON WALL STREET

New York, Aug. 1. Stocks once again lost ground before the close, capping another narrow, irregular session which generated the lightest activity since April 1.

There was no news deemed sufficiently important to stimulate real demand and no real reasons for selling. In such circumstances, investors were reluctant to transact more than routine business;

Volume of 1,000,000 shares lagged 170,000 shares behind Wednesday.

Activity centred in Raytheon, Cities Service, Baldwin-Lima-Hamilton and Bethlehem Steel.

Cities Service, responding to word of an oil discovery in the Sultanate of Muscat and Oman, ran up 2 points and held around the half gain. Bethlehem, with interest in the same area, finished with a gain of nearly 2 points.

#### Kodak

Losses of 2 1/2 points in Eastman Kodak, a point in Du Pont, close to a point in Bethlehem Steel and Chrysler helped pull down the industrial average. It lost 2.31 points to 506.21.

Rails fell 1.05 points to 148.74, reflecting chiefly a drop of more than 2 points in Kansas City Southern which ran up a similar amount on Wednesday.

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The free market rate of the Japanese yen to the US dollar, as quoted by Pick's World Currency Report at 403.—United Press.

McDonnell Aircraft (Am.)

Mesabi Iron Corp.

Minnesota Mining

Mission Development

Motorola Inc.

National Steel Corp.

Olin Mathison

Oil Mills

Omnibus Elevators

Owens-Illinois Glass

Pan American Airways

Parmount Pictures

Phillip Morris

Procter & Gamble Co.

Publisher Industries

Pure Oil Corporation

Republic Steel

Reynolds Metal

Sears, Roebuck & Co.

Shaw, Walker

Saint Reg. Paper

Sinclair Oil

Southern Mobile Co.

Southern Oil Co. (The)

Southern Railway (Conn.)

Standard Oil of Cal.

Standard Oil of Ind.

Standard Rock (Toronto) Exch.

Stearns & Kilby

Stetson

Stevens

Tide Water Assoc. Oil

Twentieth Century Fox Film

Union Carbide

Union Pacific Railroad

United Gas Corp.

United Oil Co.

United States Rubber

United States Steel

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